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The steamship *Senator*, from Colon via Belize and Tampico, had 7 men sick while at Veracruz, all probably having malaria. The vessel, before departure for Galveston, was fumigated throughout, and on taking the temperature of all on board no elevation was found.

During the week there were reported 6 cases of yellow fever and 4 deaths.

Cases of yellow fever are still reported from Tierra Blanca.

*Week ended August 19, 1905.*

Vessels inspected and bills of health issued.....	6
Vessels fumigated with sulphur to kill mosquitoes.....	2
Number of crew inspected .....	250
Number of passengers inspected.....	199

The steamship *Savioia*, which sailed on the 13th for New Orleans via Tampico, had 1 of crew sick on the 12th; temperature 39°, pulse 120, headache, backache, albuminuria. After treatment with castor oil and quinine his temperature next morning was 37°, pulse 92, no yellowness of skin or sclerotics, no parasite of malaria found. Vessel was given bills of health noting indigestion for this man.

Two cases of yellow fever were reported at Veracruz for the week.

An increase in the number of mosquitoes of genus *Anopheles* has been noted of late.

#### NICARAGUA.

*Report from Bluefields, fruit port—All vessels leaving for Mobile—Quarantine at Greytown—Yellow fever at Leon and Managua.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Layton reports as follows: Week ended August 20, 1905. Present officially estimated population, 3,500; number of deaths during four weeks ended August 20, 13; prevailing diseases, malarial fever, dysentery, and phthisis pulmonalis; general sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good. The order sending 2 ships to New Orleans is revoked. All vessels now run to Mobile, Ala. Greytown has quarantined against all fruit steamers. The rumors of yellow fever in Leon and Managua, Nicaragua, are confirmed.

Bills of health were issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Vessel.	Destination.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
Aug. 16	Dictator.....	Mobile .....	19	0	0	.....
20	Corinto .....	do .....	25	0	0	.....
19	Schooner Laura C.....	Delaware Breakwater, via Coon Island, Nicaragua.	7	0	0	.....